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US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

ATTORNEY'S CASE NUMBER
121235**TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES
DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)
CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)
10/508,869INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.
PCT/JP03/02735INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE
March 7, 2003PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
March 29, 2002TITLE OF INVENTION
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING HONEYCOMB STRUCTURAL BODYAPPLICANTS FOR DO/EO/US
Akifumi NISHIO et al.

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. ☐ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. ☒ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. ☐ The US has been elected (Article 31).
5. ☐ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto.
 - b. ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
 - c. ☐ The International Application was filed in English.
7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. ☐ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☐ A preliminary amendment.
14. ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. ☐ A substitute specification.
16. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
17. ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
18. ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☐ Other items or information:

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<p>21. <input type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:</p> <p>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO..... \$ 300.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO..... \$ 300.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO..... \$ 300.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$ 300.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)..... \$ 300.00</p> <p>Search Fee..... \$ 500.00</p> <p>Examination Fee..... \$ 200.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</p> <p>Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">TOTAL PAGES OF APPLICATION OVER 100 (- 100)</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">÷ 50</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">= †</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">x 250 =</td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: center;">\$</td> <td style="width: 40%;"></td> </tr> </table> <p>†round up to next integer</p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20%;">CLAIMS</td> <td style="width: 10%;">NUMBER FILED</td> <td style="width: 10%;">NUMBER EXTRA</td> <td style="width: 10%;">RATE</td> <td style="width: 10%;">\$</td> <td style="width: 40%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>TOTAL CLAIMS</td> <td style="text-align: center;">- 20</td> <td style="text-align: center;">=</td> <td style="text-align: center;">x 50.00 =</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</td> <td style="text-align: center;">- 3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">=</td> <td style="text-align: center;">x 200.00 =</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4">MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)(if applicable)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">+ 360.00 =</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4" style="text-align: right;">TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</td> <td style="text-align: center;">\$</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="4"> <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. 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A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>15-0461</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> <p>NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.</p> <p>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC Customer Number: 25944</p> <p>Date <u>February 1, 2005</u></p> <div style="text-align: right; margin-top: 20px;"> NAME: James A. Oliff REGISTRATION NUMBER: 27,075 NAME: Jesse O. 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